GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a patient died at AIIMS during the strikes by doctors in AIIMS for want of required medical treatment;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether there is a demand for taking action against those doctors who refused to provide medical care to the patient;

(d) if so, the action the Government proposes to take against such doctors;

(e) if not, the reasons therefor;

(f) whether the Government is considering to enquire into the matter;

(g) if so, the details thereof; and

(h) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (h): According to AIIMS one Shri Sarvesh Kumar who presented to AIIMS Emergency on 5.7.2006 was referred to other hospitals as soon as strike was called for and was later reported by the media to have died on 5.7.2006. The matter was enquired into by the AIIMS and report submitted. The same is under examination.